







TRIPS & TOURS

SPRING AND SUMMER

APRIL 10

The Smithsonian National Zoo

Get ready to see some of the most exotic and unique animals at the nearby National Zoo. Founded in 1889, the Zoo is part of the Smithsonian Institution, the world's largest museum and research complex. Today, the Zoo sits on 163 acres in the heart of Washington, D.C.'s Rock Creek Park and is home to more than 1,500 animals across 300 different species. All exhibits are wheelchair accessible. Visitors are welcome to bring their own food and snacks; additionally, the National Zoo offers a wide variety of dining options including six restaurants and numerous food carts, stands, and kiosks located throughout the park. All Ages \$35 RP4506.301 9am-4:30pm M

APRIL 30

Hershey Theater – Riverdance

The international Irish dance phenomenon is back by popular demand at Hershey Theater in Hershey, Pennsylvania. Drawing on Irish traditions, the combined talents of the performers propel Irish dancing and music into the present day, capturing the imagination of audiences across all ages and cultures in an innovative and exciting blend of dance, music and song. Of all the performances to emerge from Ireland - nothing has carried the energy and the spectacle of Riverdance. Lunch and snacks are self-provided. Food and small personal coolers are allowed on the motorcoach. Registration deadline is March 31.

13 yrs + \$100

RP4507.301 10am-6:30pm Sun

JUNE 1

Summer of Spectacle at Longwood Gardens!

A beautiful setting for everyone to see in Kennet Square, Pennsylvania! Longwood Gardens is a living expression of all that founder Pierre S. du Pont found inspiring, meaningful, and beautiful. From the intricate fountain systems to the meticulous gardens to the architectural grandeur, awe-inspiring discoveries await at every turn. Experience the Main Fountain Garden—the jewel of the most significant fountain collection in the United States on this trip! The facility offers a variety of dining options and also includes a dedicated picnic area for guests to enjoy their own foods and snacks. The property is wheelchair accessible.

6 yrs + \$80

RP4507.401 9am-6pm Th

JUNE 6

New York City – Times Square

Spend the day on your own in the Big Apple. Experience Times Square, see a Broadway Show, visit a museum, shop, or take a walk through Central Park. Get dropped off in the heart of downtown and spend the day your way. Plenty to see and lots to do on our one day bus trip to NYC from Maryland. Wear comfortable walking shoes and explore the city that never sleeps! Motor coach has a restroom on board. You may bring food and small personal coolers on the bus.

6 yrs + \$75

RP4508.401 8am-10pm Tu

Howard County RECREATION & PARKS













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